

Wildlife Volunteer Opportunity

Frog and Toad Survey

Location:

Statewide

Dates of Opportunity Availability:

Opportunity start date: Spring of each year. There is a pre-requisite of attending a training workshop which will be held in several locations in early spring each year. For current workshop dates and locations visit:

<u>http://www.iowadnr.com/wildlife/diversity/vwmp.html</u> or use the contact information below.

Hours of Service Requested:

These surveys are performed at night and need to be done three times between April and early July on an annual basis. The amount of time per year would range from 10-15 hours with each of the three runs taking approximately 3 hours each.

Description:

After attending the required training workshop, participants will select 5-8 wetlands in their area to survey and choose three nights (within specified time periods between April and early July) and visit each wetland site and record specified data on the frogs and toads heard and/or observed there. Volunteers will then submit the data collected to the Wildlife Diversity Program through an online database. Volunteers are needed that can complete surveys of their wetlands on an annual basis.

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